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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO GREEK INQUIRY ON STATUS OF REACTOR
FUEL EXPORT LICENSE
REF: STATE 156539
1. SUMMARY. HRC REQUESTS EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN TRANS-
;ITTING TO GREEK AEC STATUS REPORT ON REACTOR FUEL EXPORT
LICENSE APPLICATION. END SUMMARY.
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2. DURING JULY 14 TELECON WITH DR. J. D. LAFLEUR, JR.,
DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF NRC'S OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS,
AND D., N. G. CHRYSOCHOIDES OF GREEK ATOMIC ENERGY COMMIS-
SION'S NUCLEAR RESEARCH CENTER "DEMOKRITOS," CHRYSOCHOIDES
ASSERTED T'AT 'EU SHIPMENT URGENTLY NEEDED FOR GREEK
RESEARCH REACTOR WHICH EVEN NOW NOT ABLE TO OPERATE FULL
SCHEDULE, AND REQUESTED INFO ON STATUS OF PENDING REACTOR
FUEL EXPORT LICENSE APPLICATION. LAFLEUR PROMISED TO

REPLY ASAP.

3. EMBASSY REQUESTED CONTACT CHRYSOCHOIDES AND PASS
FOLLOWING NRC RESPONSE TO CHRYSOCHOIDES:
LICENSE APPLICATION XSNM-1234 FOR THE EXPORT TO FRANCE OF
6.53 KG OF U-235 CONTAINED IN 7.0 KG OF URANIUM HEXAFLUORIDE
ENRICHED TO 93.3 PERCENT FOR CONVERSION INTO URANIUM
DIOXIDE, FABRICATION INTO FUEL ELEMENTS, AND RETRANSFER TO

THE DEMOKRITOS NUCLEAR RESEARCH CENTER IS CURRENTLY UNDER-
GOING NRC STAFF REVIEW. NRC RECEIVED FAVORABLE EXECUTIVE
BRANCH RECOMMENDATION ON JUNE 20, AND IS GIVING APPLICATION
PRIORITY CONSIDERATION. NRC STAFF INTENDS TO FORWARD ITS
RECOMMENDATION TO THE COMMISSION FOR THEIR ACTION IN THE
NEAR FUTURE.

4. NRC WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY ASSESSMENT OF ANY GAEC
REACTION (PASS NRC, ATTN: LAFLEUR). IN ADDITION,
DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING REPORT ON DISCUSSIONS
WITH GAEA CONCERNING RETURN OF SPENT FUEL AS REQUESTED
REFTEL. THE UNDERSTANDING THAT GAEC WAS AGREEABLE TO SUCH
DISCUSSIONS CONTRIBUTED TO THE FAVORABLE EXECUTIVE BRANCH
RECOMMENDATION TO THE NRC CONCERNING EXPORT LICENSE. CHRISTOPHER

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